

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please insert the following new paragraph on page 17, after line 21:

As understood from Fig. 3, for example, the side walls of the drain channel of the first side frame portion 6 and the projection 11 of the second side frame portion 7 are provided with a difference in height between the side walls and the projection 11. This height difference allows the drain channel 8 of one of two adjacent solar cell units to project under the second side frame portion 7 of the other solar unit beyond the projection 11 when a plurality of the solar cell units are mounted on the plane surface of the oblique roof in parallel to a roof ridge or an eave on the oblique roof, so that the first side frame portion 6 of one of two adjacent solar cell units and the second frame portion 7 of the other solar cell unit are opposed to each other with a gap being defined therebetween. The drain channel 8 provided along the first side frame portion 6 of the one unit is located below the gap.